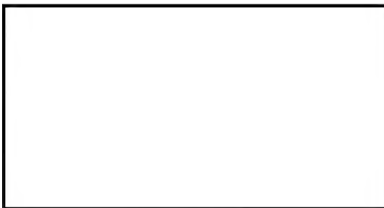


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Mr. Jackson has received your letter of March 8, 1951 and has asked me to reply for him since he will be out of the city for the next few days.

He does realize the importance of [redacted] and the seriousness of his coming loss. However, he has had to refrain from entering into deferments from military service in any way since such requests coming from him imply Central Intelligence Agency interest. Therefore, I am sure you will understand why he cannot be of assistance to you in this matter.

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I regret that it is impossible to give you a more favorable reply.

Sincerely,

A rectangular box with a black border, used to redact the signature of the Assistant to the Director.

Assistant to the Director

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